

**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**ART UNIT 2125**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:  
Ko-Pin CHANG, et al.

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For: AUTOMATIC N2 PURGE SYSTEM FOR  
300MM FULL AUTOMATION FAB

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 22, 2006**

**I. Introductory Comments**

The present paper is being submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed August 22, 2006.

No fees, including extension of time fees, are believed necessary for consideration of the present paper. However, if any fees, including extension of time fees, are necessary, the extension of time is hereby requested, and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees, including those for the extension of time, to Haynes and Boone, LLP's Deposit Account No. 08-1394.

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**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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